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7 For Sale.

IN LEXINGTON,

The corner of Main and Cross Streets.

The corner of Cross and Water Streets.
The Stone House on Water Street.
And that Commodious House and lot on High Street. For terms apply to Maj. James Morrison in Lexington, or to the subscriber, on Main Elkhorn, six miles from Frankfort.

BENJ. S. COX.

September 25, 1797.

2 FRESH GOODS.

ALEXANDER PARKER

Has just imported from Philadelphia, and has now opening at his store, opposite the court-house, a very large and general assortment of MERCHANDISE, consisting of Dry Goods, Groceries, Cattle, Hides and various other articles, which he will sell at the most reduced prices, for cash.

Lexington, October 12, 1797.

15 NOTICE.

The partnership of Reid & McWhin being this day dissolved by mutual consent, all those indebted to said firm, by bond, note or book account, are requested to come forward immediately and settle their respective balances. Likewise all those who have any demands against said firm, to bring them forward to David Reid, properly authenticated, for settlement, in whole hands the books are left for settlement.

Lexington, September 8, 1797.

NOTICE.

THE Co-partnership of JOHN A. SEITZ and FREDERICK LAUMAN, since trading under the firm of Seitz & Lauman, has been dissolved by mutual consent, on the 17th inst. Their books papers &c. are in the hands of John A. Seitz, for adjustment to which all those who have any demands against the late firm of Seitz & Lauman, are requested to apply for a settlement; and those who are indebted to them, it is hoped will make immediate payment, otherwise their accounts will be placed in the hands of proper officers for collection.

JOHN A. SEITZ.

FREDERICK LAUMAN.

September 23, 1797.

For Sale.

THE FOLLOWING MILITARY LANDS:
2,666 2/3 acres, in the name of Holland Hanie.

444 2/3 acres, in the name of Samuel Coleman, near Williamsburgh.

2,500 do. in the name of John Breckenridge.

1,111 do. in the name of Lucas Sullivan.

The foregoing are on the North-west of the Ohio, in the continental line.

The following are in the State line, Green river and Cumberland waters:

440 acres, in the name of John Crawford.

1000 do. Elizabeth Moody, Russell creek.

1000 do. do. do. Indian creek, Cumberland.

1000 } William Thompson, one on Cumberland river,

1000 } do. one on a big Barren,

1000 } and one on a wide Water.

666 2/3 do. James Smith, Trade Water.

1000 } do. Thomas Gillespie do.

1000 } do. do. Goose creek.

1500 do do Goose creek.

The greater part of the above lands will be found very valuable. For terms apply to

TATHAM & BANKS.

Lexington, October 17, 1797.

Five Dollars Reward.

FOR taking up and delivering to Col. Thomas Marshall, in Woodford, or to Mr. Thomas Marshall, in Mason county, a GRAY MARE, about five feet high, a natural pacer, but whether branded, not known—the stray from the plantation of Col. Marshall, and will probably attempt to get to Mason county.

H. MARSHALL.

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GEORGE ADAMS, ESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public in general, that he has opened a Tavern, in that commodious house on Main Street the third door below Cross Street; where those who please to favor him with their custom, shall meet with every possible attention.

23 For Sale.

TWO SECTIONS OF LAND,

IN the Military range, within Judge Symm's deed, out of the following numbers, viz. 3 and 13 in the second township, and 3, 6 and 22 in the 3d township. Persons who wish to be accommodated may purchase in small quantities. For terms apply either to J. & A. Hart or William Wells in Cincinnati, to Col. Oliver Spencer in Columbia, or John W. Hunt, merchant, in Lexington.

NOTE:—An indisputable title will immediately be given to purchasers.

Cincinnati, August 2.

53 Hughes and Fitzhugh,

HAVE for sale, at their Factory, near Hagerstown, Washington county, Maryland,

A LARGE AND GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

NAILS,

which they will dispose of on reasonable terms.

March 23, 1797.

27 FOR SALE.

An Overshot Merchant-Mill With two pair of Stones, together with a Saw-mill and Distillery,

STANDING in Madison county, upon Silver creek, six miles from the Kentucky river.—also, about

140 Acres of Land,

Twenty-five of which are cleared. The grist-mill will be finished in a few weeks by an eminent European millwright, and upon the best construction.

The situation of the mills is well known to be as good as any in the State. The dam and race, have stood the late heavy floods without damage, and the stream continues the whole year. Any person inclinable to purchase, may apply to George Smart in Lexington, or to Robert Smart, at the mills.

GEORGE SMART.

ROBERT SMART.

July 10, 1797.

N. B. If the Mills are not sold when finished, they will be let for 7 years.

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Man's Life, September 28, 1797.

It is well informed that some malicious person has lodged a bill of an inferior quality, for a length of time, at the widow Combs's, for sale, as being of our manufacture. We hereby declare to the public, that we did never lodge any bill for sale on the road between this place and Lexington. This deception is calculated not only to injure our reputation, but the public at large.

JAMES F. MOORE.

CHARLES DEELER.

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DANCING SCHOOL.

The subscriber returns his thanks to those who have patronized him in the line of his profession, and informs them that his school will be opened for the present season, on Thursday the 28th instant, at Mr. Bradford's room, in Lexington—Every section of the academy will be of his patronage, will be made use of, by

RICHARD DAVENPORT.

September 11.

I taken up by the subscriber, about near the head of Salt river, Mercer county, a bay filly, two years old, about four feet one inch high, a blaze face, both hind feet white, a natural trotter; appraised to 21 10s.

JAMES HARRISON.

August 19

*** Those gentlemen in whole hands propoals for printing the Kentucky Laws, have been lodged, will please to forward the number of the subscribers they have obtained, to the Office of the Kentucky Gazette, as soon as possible, in order that the work may be immediately put to press, if the stipulated number of copies are subscribed for.

JUST PUBLISHED,

AND FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE—PRICE 5d.

An Expollulatory Letter

FROM EDWARD RUSHTON TO GEORGE WASHINGTON, of Mount Vernon.

October 18, 1797.

21 STOLEN

FROM the plantation of the subscriber, about two and a half miles from Lexington, on Tuesday night the 1st instant, a sorrel Mare, 3 years old, a natural trotter, about 14 hands high, no brand, her tail is docked, she has a low carriage before, and keeps her nose out, a blaze down her face, and a dark spot on her neck. A reward of ten dollars will be given for the Mare, and thief, or five dollars for the Mare, and all other reasonable charges.

THOMAS IRWIN.

Manfield August 14.

FOR SALE.

26 The Subscriber,

WHO is about to remove his old Rope Walk, will lay out the land on which it stands, in six lots, sixty-six and two thirds feet in front, and one hundred and forty back, he will also lay out a lot on the street he lives on, the same size including his blacksmith's shop, or twice the other lots will be three small brick houses, which will accommodate as many families, all of which will be sold on reasonable terms by

THOMAS HART.

Three Dollars Reward.

Strayed from the plantation of Mr. Francis Downings, on Hickman, four miles from Lexington, on the 23d instant, a dark bay horse, eight or nine years old, nearly fifteen hands high, a blaze and snip, two hind feet white. Whoever will deliver the said horse to Mr. Francis Downings, or to the subscriber, shall have the above reward.

George Heytel.

Lexington, April 28.

NOTICE, to those whom it may concern.—That whereas I have purchased of Richard Chinnoweth of Jefferson county, an arbitration bond on Col. Wm. Fleming of Virginia, and have given him in exchange, my due bill for fifty-six pounds in merchandise, but have been credibly informed, that there is a deception in the bond, this is to forewarn any person from trading for or taking an assignment on the said due bill, as I am determined not to discharge it until I hear to the contrary.

JOHN CLAY.

37 For sale

FOR CASH OR MERCHANDISE,

Two thousand five hundred

acres of LAND, lying on the Tazewell, about 25 miles from the seat of government, and about ten from Drennon's lick—said land was located and surveyed in the name of Thomas Turpin, and is a tract of 2500 acres, lying in the Turpin, in Woodford county. Any person inclined to purchase may know the terms by applying to Capt. Walker Baylor near Lexington, or to the subscriber in Garrard county.

WILLIAM M. BLEDSOE.

June 19.

Persons indebted to the subscribers, are requested to make immediate payment, or one of us intends visiting for Baltimore on the 1st of Oct. if they wish to avoid a personal attendance to this notice, as a non-compliance will materially injure us.

SMITH & ARTHUR.

Winchester, August 26, 1797.

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20 TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

STRAYED or STOLEN, from the mouth of Middle creek, Hardin county, on the 25th of August, two horses—one a bright bay, 6 years old, 15 hands high, trots natural, has a star and snip, and a tose or feather extending from half way his neck towards his ears on the near side, his tail is docked short, was shod all round when he left me, not branded as I recollect. The other a grey, 5 years old, 14 and a half hands high, branded on the near shoulder thus, g, heavy mane and tail dark coloured, has a small lump between his thighs occasioned by cutting, trots natural, had on a small bell, and shod before when he went away. Whoever delivers said horses to John McInire living on Flat creek, Montgomery county, or to the subscriber living at Col. James M'Dowell's three miles from Lexington, shall receive the above reward.

JOHN LYLE.

October 18, 1797.

WANTED

A person who is well acquainted with Malting & Brewing of Beer, Also A DISTILLER. Great encouragement will be given—Apply to

A. HOLMES.

Lexington, July 26, 1797.

Thirty Dollars Reward.

RAN away from Washington, (Mason county, Kentucky,) some time in May last, a Negro Man named LOUIS, (or LUE,) about twenty-four years of age, five feet six or eight inches high, has a hair in one of his legs. The above reward will be given if secured in any jail in this State.

A. HOLMES.

Lexington, July 15.

NOTICE.

The partnership of CHARLES HUMPHRIES & Co. was dissolved on the 1st inst. All persons indebted to said firm are requested to make immediate payment—and those who have any demands are requested to call on the subscriber for payment, in whole hands the books are placed.

ANDREW HOLMES.

April 16.

Warranted Bowling Chalks,

From No. 1 to No. 6, for sale at

ANDREW H. LAMER'S STORE,

The corner of Main and Mill streets, Lexington.

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OF the different numbers, made by A. F. SAUGRAIN, in Lexington, and sold whole sale and retail, at ANDREW HOLMES'S Store.

Lexington August 8.

FOR SALE.

A LARGE QUANTITY OF CORN, BACON AND WHISKY.

Apply to

A. HOLMES,

Lexington.

Excellent Vinegar for sale

At my still house in Lexington, by the large or small quantity.

SAUGRAIN.

Wanted Immediately,

A GOOD JOURNEYMAN SHOEMAKER, to whom the highest wages will be given—enquire of the Printer.

September 6, 1797.

FOR SALE.

A Likely Negro Wench.

Apply to the Printer.

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FOR SALE,

A LARGE AND COMFORTABLE HOUSE AND LOT, ON Main Street, with a good stable, dog lick creek, about ten miles from the Ohio. The land is of excellent quality, and the title indisputable. For terms apply to

JOHN A. SEITZ.

FOR SALE,

The tract of LAND on which

I now live, lying about two miles from Lexington, near the Georgetown road, containing two hundred acres; it is well watered and timbered, about 30 acres cleared, and the title indisputable. For terms apply to the subscriber who now resides on the premises.

FRANCIS DILL.

ABRAHAM & JOHN W. HUNT.

With a purchase at their store in Lexington a quantity of

TOBACCO AND HEMP.

For which they will give a generous price, and a proportion in money.

They have on hand a large assortment of MERCHANDISE, which they are offering for sale on the most moderate terms.

Last notice.

ALL those indebted to the subscriber are once more requested to pay up their respective accounts. All those who are indebted to Welf & Guthrie are requested to make payment to the subscriber, as that partnership is dissolved by mutual consent.

N. B. Nelson Thompson is authorized to settle the above accounts.

Sept. 27. EDWARD WEST.

VIENNA, July 26.

On the 24th inst. about nine in the morning the Marquis de Gallo arrived here, and immediately after repaired to Fingelorf, where he had a long conference with the Emperor. On his return to this city, he went to the minister of state, Baron Thugut, with whom he had a long conference. It was remarked that neither the marquis nor the persons about the court had very pleasant countenances. The negotiations for peace in Italy meet with great difficulties in their further progress.

The French require that Mantua shall be united with the Cisalpine republic, though it was stipulated in the preliminaries, that the city should be restored to Austria. On the part of the French, it is said, on the other hand, that the Emperor having given his consent to the establishment of a new republic in Italy, its very existence depended on having Mantua for a frontier fortress; the Emperor, therefore, must tacitly submit to the cession of Mantua, for which he receives sufficient indemnification in Istria and Dalmatia.

As these and many other difficulties have arisen and the House of Austria cannot be expected easily to abandon its great interests in Italy, we are not without fears that hostilities may again re-commence.

His Imperial majesty intends going about the end of the month to Stein, where he will review the army of the Hungarian levy.

As there is no danger of hostilities on the Bohemian frontiers, the Emperor has ordered that the fourteen battalions of reserve in that kingdom shall march immediately for the army in Italy.

Gen. Mack, who has been sent with strong reinforcements to the Italian army, is already arrived at Gortz.

On the 15th inst. the fleet Dalmatian ship, of 8 guns, failed from Zara, under the Austrian flag.

LONDON, August 9.

We have reason to apprehend, that the presence of Mr. Ellis at the conferences at Lisle has a most disastrous effect in view, disastrous not merely to Great Britain, but to humanity. The letter of Lord Malmesbury, at the breaking up of the last embassy, disclosed the horrid system which our ministers have been brought by mercenary counsels to cherish with complacency. No man who feels for the rights of his species surely no man who professes to be a Christian, can look to the dismal prospect of national arrangements for perpetrating human slavery, and for making it the object of guarantee without breathing a curse of execration on the perpetrators.

Previously to the return of the emigrant priests to France, who are all supplied with money from this country to take them thither, they are obliged it is now known by their superiors in London, to take an oath not to administer the ceremonies of church to any person whatever in possession of any portion of confiscated or church land. This system being rigidly adhered to in France, blood has been shed in consequence of it. (Courier.) August 10.

The demand made by the French, of a restitution of the conquests made by England from the Dutch, seems, as we before stated, to be the grand thorn the only obstacle to peace. We still continue to think that the negotiation will be a tedious one, and probably will at length have an unsuccessful termination.

Intrigue is now employing all its arts at the Hague, at Madrid, at Paris and at Lisle. On the effects that these manoeuvres are likely to produce, it would be vain for us—it would be vain for the wisest politician to offer any speculative opinion. Indeed the present situation of Europe baffles all speculation.

Barthelemy may be an advocate for peace, but he will not forget that still he is a Frenchman. Barthelemy will hardly sell his country, as the late queen of France did, in the commercial treaty, or consent to unreasonable sacrifices in our favor.

The Paris papers which arrived yesterday, contain the following articles: Fresh letters from Cadiz and Madrid confirm the intelligence of the English having been forced to raise the blockade of Cadiz; that they had

cut their cables, and been obliged to retreat in great disorder; and that the Spanish squadron, consisting of 20 sail of the line, had got out and put forth in pursuit of them. It is added, that confidence had revived at Cadiz, and it was hoped that before fifteen days should expire, public credit would revive, and commerce begin again with activity.

"We see, we feel, we can now as it were, lay our finger," says the Republican Francois, "on the ORLEANS FACION, in every thing that has lately taken place. Recollecting what has passed, and considering the personages that are now exhibiting on the grand scene, it is impossible not to perceive its influence. Moreover, the calculation that this party may make is a very simple one; and its hopes are far from being ridiculous when we consider that its greatest enemies render it the greatest services. The men who compose it, reason, I imagine, thus: Here is one set of people who (say they) at all events, wish for the old government. By praising the past and abusing the present, they endeavor to re-establish all the old ecclesiastical institutions and customs. They will certainly not succeed to the extent of their wishes; that is possible—but they will at length succeed in making a grand impression on the public mind in favor of Royalty. This favorable disposition, opposed, counteracted, attenuated, modified, by the powerful, energetic and invincible interests which have taken root in the course of the revolution, and by the new ideas to which the revolution has given birth, will finally produce the desired effect, and create the necessity of a king; but of a king which shall be the offspring of the revolution, and which shall enter into a compact with it. Suppose a body launched forth, that two contending forces shall draw in opposite directions—it retires from, or, if you please, it approaches equally both of them, in keeping the line which is called diagonal. France is the body, and the Orleans faction persuades itself, and not without much apparent reason that it will be placed precisely in this diagonal line. Thus it naturally expects to turn to its own profit the efforts that are made by the two contending parties; and it would be absurd to suppose it does not excite them. If the pure Royalists, as they call themselves, were convinced of these facts, they would not be very zealous in their endeavors to point out to us the beauty and advantages of a system that the very *ne plus ultra* of their exertions cannot revive but in a manner that would by no means agree with their wishes and their hopes; for all that it would accomplish would be, to place the executive power in the hands of one person, and to make it hereditary leaving the other parts of the government, such as they exist at present, or, at least, without making such alterations in it as would answer their chimerical wishes. It appears, and indeed we hear it repeated every day, that the greatest obstacle that present itself to an event of this kind, exists in the interest of the present executive power to prevent it. I will not, however, conceal my opinion even on this point—This interest on which so much stress is laid, is not so imperious as some persons are inclined to believe. A precarious power, a power that it is necessary one day to resign, is not a very strong motive of opposition to such an event, inasmuch as they hold it may render their condition better, by favoring the views of those who may wish to render power more lasting.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTORY.

July 28.

The minister for foreign affairs presented the Turkish ambassador to the Directory; he gave in the Milan to the president and addressed a speech to the Directory in the Turkish language. His first Drogoman repeated it in French, in the following terms: "The Sultan who at present reigns so gloriously over the Ottoman Empire, sovereign of two continents & of two seas, the most majestic, the most formidable, the most magnanimous and the most powerful emperor, whose splendor is equal to that of Darius, and whose dominion is equal to that of Alexander, my most benign lord and master, has charged me to present to his sincere friends, the most honorable and the most magnificent French republic, this gracious imperial letter, filled with sentiments of the most perfect friendship, and the most pure affection. He has sent me ambassador to the republic, to augment by the assistance of the most high, the friendship and harmony which has so long and so solidly subsisted between the sublime Porte and France. If it pleases God, I shall have nothing more at heart than my residence here, than to employ the means of strengthening those bonds of pure and sincere friendship between those two great powers."

The president of the Directory replied: "Mr. ambassador of the sublime Porte, and friend of the Italian seim, in sending you to represent him as his ordinary ambassador to the French Republic, has given a most precious pledge of his friendship, and of his desire to continue without alteration that regard which has so long subsisted between France and the Ottoman empire. The Executive Directory will omit nothing, Mr. ambassador, to convince you that they participate with you in a desire so beneficial to both nations."

This speech was translated to the ambassador by the interpreter of the Directory.

The ambassador saluted the Directory, and placed himself on a seat appropriated for foreign ministers.

The minister for foreign affairs presented the Marquis Massini, minister plenipotentiary from Rome to the Directory.

Having delivered his letters of credence to the Directory, he said:

CITIZENS DIRECTORS, The eagerness which his holiness feels to give a public proof of his friendship for the French Republic has procured me the honor of expressing his sentiments to you. His holiness flatters himself that you will be convinced of the sincerity of his sentiments when you see the exactness

PARIS, 19 Thermidor, Aug. 6.

We have every reason to think, that the report of the redemption of hostilities in Italy, between the republicans and Austrian troops, is entirely without foundation. In our opinion there is still every prospect of peace with the house of Austria, notwithstanding the negotiations are at this time so much protracted.

The very moderate conclusions, in the report made yesterday to the council of five hundred by the commission of inspectors, relative to the march of troops, have surprised many persons, who expected to hear that a proposition would be made for a decree of accusation against the three members who composed the majority of the directory. These persons have been altogether mistaken, and perhaps will be for a long time to come.

We are assured, that the directory have received the original order of march given to the troops by the commission, Lefebvre.

We just learn, that the directory has decided that the territory of Leges shall not be considered an integral part of the empire, but shall remain united to the French republic. It is added that this decision has occasioned the negotiations with the emperor to be broken off.

We were assured yesterday that Pichegrue had fat out for Rheims, for the purpose of concerting with the commanders of the army, and of obtaining that by persuasion which it would be extremely dangerous for the two parties to commit to the fate of arms. Ibid.

with which he fulfills his engagements, though at the price of the greatest sacrifices. His holiness always recollected with regret what passed at Rome, relative to the secretary Malleville, and knows that evil disposed persons, wishing to destroy the harmony subsisting between the two states, have imputed the guilt of that transaction to the government, though it could neither foresee nor prevent it. I can for myself declare, that I was employed to calm the popular commotion, to take every measure for the safety of the French, and to give all possible consolation to the family of the unfortunate and innocent victims. My cares were not altogether useless; and it gave me great satisfaction that they were not. I hope nevertheless, that I shall be still more fortunate in the honorable and important mission with which my sovereign has entrusted me. I am sure I shall be successful, since the harmony which now subsists between the two governments, gives to my country the strongest reasons to hope that my most ardent wishes will be fulfilled."

The President replied:

"Mr. minister and plenipotentiary from Rome, the bonds which have united the French nation and that part of Italy which constitutes the temporal dominions of the emperor, were too important to both parties not to induce the Executive Directory to hasten to reestablish them as soon as it could be done consistently with the reciprocal dignity of the two nations. They flatter themselves, that that connection which is equally advantageous to the prosperity of both nations, will refuse its ancient strength, and that it is the consequence of a peace as dear to his holiness as it is to you. The Executive Directory sees with pleasure, Mr. ambassador, that his holiness has made choice of you to maintain this happy harmony."

BOSTON, September 25.

We were in hopes this day to have announced the launch of the frigate Constitution;—but after two attempts, on Wednesday and Friday last, to let her slide the truck, and now remains in perfect safety, on the ways on which she was constructed.

September 26.

Letters from Trinidad in August, mention, that a mutiny had happened at that island on board the Liberator, English man of war. The sailors drove the officers below, and kept them confined for several days, insisting on receiving fully the captain for an advance of pay, and a redress of sundry stated grievances. These demands being acceded to, they released the officers, and returned to their duty.

Notice is hereby given, that I shall attend with commissioners appointed by the county court of Boston, under an act entitled an act to ascertain the boundary of land and for other purposes, on the 22d day of November next at the late dwelling of John Palmer dec. in the said county of Suffolk, on Townsend's creek, thence to proceed to and prove and perpetuate testimony concerning a cabin built by John Townsend and called for in an entry of 1000 acres in the name of John Melton, and do such things respecting the said claim, as may be deemed necessary and agreeable to law.

JOHN PALMER, Jun.

Executor of

JOHN PALMER, Dec.

October 18th, 1807.

On the 6th of November next, I shall attend with the commissioners appointed by the court of Suffolk, under an act entitled an act to ascertain the boundary of land and for other purposes, on the 22d day of November next at the late dwelling of John Palmer dec. in the said county of Suffolk, on Townsend's creek, thence to proceed to and prove and perpetuate testimony concerning a cabin built by John Townsend and called for in an entry of 1000 acres in the name of John Melton, and do such things respecting the said claim, as may be deemed necessary and agreeable to law.

Samuel Thomsen.

This is to give the public notice, that whereas, I had a bond on Thomas Violet, for one hundred pounds, dated March 23d 1795—said bond was left in Worsfold's care, and is mislaid & cannot be had. Therefore I do hereby give the public notice, that I will accept of receipts, as good against said bond.

JOHN LOVE.

October 12th 1797.
Blank Deeds to be at this Office.



SACRED TO THE MUSES.

Was I right or was I not?

Was I right or was I not?
Tell me girls, and tell me true;
You I mean who've husbands got,
Was I wrong to do so too?
No, 'tis in fate to die a maid
Heir was meant to be my lot:
Hymen call'd and I obey'd,
Was I right or was I not?

When the youth that pleas'd my mind,
Told his love in language sweet,
Could I see him fond and kind
Sigh and languish at my feet?
No, no, no, it was in vain
Frowns and threats were quite forgot,
Soon at church I was his wife,
Was I right or was I not?

This I know, a single life
Never was design'd for me;
No, no, no, 'tis meant to strife,
That you surely will agree;
Girls get married—that's your plan,
Cupid will assist the plot:
Then, like me, secure your man—
Was I right or was I not?

ANECDOTE.
Of Doctor Franklin.

The following, like most of Dr. Franklin's observations, will apply to more cases than the original. Soon after the American war, some gentlemen in conversation with him, intimated, that the independence of the United States could not be ascribed to the bravery of their troops. "And yet," the philosopher coolly replied, "the New-England militia at the battle of Lexington, under many disadvantages, left more of the British troops dead on the field than what they lost of their own." "No wonder," said an Englishman, "for I am told your people fired from behind walls & fences, on the exposed British troops." "Nothing more probable," replied the Philosopher, "but in America as in England, every wall has two sides."

SPANISH PROVERB.

Few die of hunger, an hundred thousand of farceits.

TO BE SOLD TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER.

ON Thursday 22 day of November next, the tract of land where capt. John Ellis, deceased, formerly lived, containing 318 acres, lying 8 miles from Lexington, on the main road to Clarke court-house, by way of Srode's. There are three improvements on said tract, one containing 70 or 80 acres cleared, a frame dwelling house, 24 by 22, with three rooms below and two above, two stone chimneys with two fire places in each, a good kitchen and meat house, a large hewed log barn, with several other convenient houses, a peach orchard of about 500 trees, and a small apple and cherry orchard. There is about 30 acres cleared on the other two improvements, with several good cabins.

Also, a small tract of 47 acres, lying within half a mile of the above, there is a good cabin on it, and 7 or 8 acres cleared. The whole of the land will be sold together, or in parcels, as the bidder may please. The purchaser on the day of sale. There will be twelve months credit allowed the purchaser, his giving bond with approved security bearing interest from the date, if not punctually paid. Attendance will be given on the premises by.

TIMOTHY PARRISH,
JAMES PARRISH,
JOHN MARTIN,
ROBT. BUCKNER,
JACOB FERRACK,
A. MONTGOMERY.

Guardians.

Sept. 30, 1797.

TAKEN up by the subscriber living in Madison county, near the mouth of Tate's creek, a bright bay Mare, judged to be two years old last spring, four white feet, neither docked nor branded, about thirteen hands three inches high, mane hangs the near side, a long star in her forehead—appraised to 121.

WALTER ADAMS.

August 28, 1797.

Dialogues on Universal Restoration for sale,

WANTED,

100,000 pounds of TOBACCO, delivered at any of the public ware-houses on the Kentucky river, or at Louisville—for which each will be given, at my house about five miles from Lexington, on the Hickman road.

October 20, 1797.

All persons for whom I located land, are desired to come forward and pay off their respective balances, in order for a partition, otherwise I shall petition the different courts for a division—Also all persons who have any demands against me for land, are desired to come forward, as I am ready to discharge the same.

I have for sale twelve thousand acres of land, on Little Kentucky, and Floyd's Fork, between eighteen and thirty miles from the Falls of Ohio, of a good quality, and lies level, which I will sell on reasonable terms for cash or negroes, and make a general warranty.

B. NETHERLAND.

March 16, 1797.

FOR SALE,

40 Acres of Military Land.

LIVING in the county of Clarke, about 12 miles from Lexington on the main road leading from hence to Clarke court house, adjoining the land of Hubbard Taylor—This land lies well, is all of the first quality, and of indisputable title—a deed of general warranty will be given. Any person inclined to see it will be gratified by Mr. Taylor. The terms may be known by applying to Mr. Joseph Coffey in Lexington, or to Capt. Richard Terrell on Beargrass.

Avon Fontaine.

Jefferson, March 5, 1797.
The whole will be sold together, or divided into one, or two hundred acre lots, as may best suit the purchasers. A. F.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,

Two or three Apprentices

To the Carpenter's and Shop Joiner's business. Also two or three

48 Good Journeymen,

for House work, to whom generous wages will be given.

JOHN SPANGLER.

Lexington, April 12.

Doctor Samuel Brown,

BEGS leave to inform the public, that he will practice MEDICINE and SURGERY in Lexington and its vicinity—He occupies the house in which Mr. Love lately lived, opposite to Mr. Stewart's printing office.

He will undertake, on reasonable terms, to instruct one or two pupils, who can bring good recommendations.

September 5, 1795.

FOR SALE,

THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES:

THREE NEW STILLS of the best quality, and the vessels fitting the same, all made last fall, and in good order. Also, a VERY YOUNG NEGRO MAN, a good distiller. Also a VERY LIKELY NEGRO GIRL, sixteen years of age. Also, the noted horse called the HURRICANE GRAY. I will take in exchange, likely young geldings and brood mares. Any gentleman inclining to purchase, may apply to the subscriber living on. Came run, four miles from Lexington, Fayette county.

SAMUEL BSELER.

THE MANAGERS of the Lexington Chances of Fortune, have authorized Mr. Samuel Pollock of Lexington, to receive any money that may be due to them for tickets, and also, to pay back same as may be due to the holders of fortunate numbers—wherefore, all those who are indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

THE MANAGERS.

Lexington, September 2, 1797.

Jockey-Club.

At a meeting of the Lexington JOCKEY-CLUB, at Mess. Pollock & Co's on Tuesday, October 17, 1797.

Resolved, That there be a Puss run for over the Lexington Course, on the Second Wednesday, and the two following days in November next, the first day, four miles, the heats—second day, three miles, the heats—third day, (for four years old and under,) two miles, the heats; aged horses carrying 130 lb.—fix years old 120 lb.—five ditto, 110 lb.—four ditto, 100 lb.—three ditto, feather.

Resolved, That Samuel Downing A. Holmes, G. Anderson, R. W. Downing, and J. B. January, be a committee to admit persons wishing to become members of this club.

From the Minutes,

C. BANKS, Secy.

31 NOTICE.

CHARLES HUMPHREYS HAS recommended business in the Brick Store opposite the Court house, lately occupied by Hugh McIlvaine Esq. where he has to dispose of, a great variety of articles, consisting of DRY GOODS, HARD WARE, QUEEN'S WARE, GROCERIES, And a small quantity of PATENT MEDICINE.

LAND FOR SALE.

101 THE SUBSCRIBER

HAS several tracts of Land in different parts of Kentucky, for sale, which he will dispose of reasonably.

JOHN CLAY.

Lexington, 4th August, 1796.

For sale,

THE FOLLOWING TRACTS OF LAND.

ONE tract lying in the Co. of Campbell, on the waters of Laurel creek, containing 2699 acres. One tract, lying on Long Lick creek, a branch of Kough creek, Hardin county, about seven miles from Hardin settlement, containing 2500 acres.

The above lands will be disposed of on moderate terms; one half of the purchase money to be paid down, for the other a credit of twelve months will be given; the purchaser giving bond with approved security. Any person inclined to purchase, may know the terms by applying to Capt. Robt. Craddock in Danville, or JOHN W. HOLT, attor-in-fact for THOS. HOLT.

IRON BANK.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBERS,

ONE thousand acres of Land, lying North-West of the Ohio, containing an extensive bank of excellent Ore, as the subscribers suppose—the quality of said ore has been ascertained by Mr. Sargant of Lexington, to whom a person desirous of purchasing can apply for information. The above tract of land lies about twelve miles from the Ohio river, and about one mile from Little Lick, which empties a few miles above the three flames—a stream supposed to be well calculated for a furnace, runs through the land, and has a fall of thirty feet at one spot, and about three quarters of a mile from the bank of ore—For further particulars apply to Mr. Alexander Barker of Lexington, or the subscribers in Washington.

BASIL DUKE.

JOHN COBURN.

April 21, 1797.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS, the partnership of Alexander and James Parker being dissolved (by the death of James) the executors of the deceased, earnestly request all those indebted to the said firm, by bond, note or book account, to come forward immediately and settle their respective balances; likewise all those who have any demands against said firm, to bring them forth and properly authenticated, for settlement as the debts of the deceased must be immediately paid and the partnership settled—No indulgence can be expected.

ALEX. PARKER, Ex'rs.

JOHN COBURN, Ex'rs.

JOHN BRADFORD.

Lexington, April 12, 1797.

James M'Dowell and Daniel Wernham Plaintiffs

vs

Christopher Bryant, Jacob Myers, Edward Warrington, William Vech, Elizabeth Vech, Thomas Shopton, William Shepherd and Mary Shepherd, Defendants.

10 In Chancery.

The defendants not having entered their appearance agreeable to law, and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that they are not inhabitants of this state; on the motion of the complainant, it is ordered, that the said defendants do appear here on the 18th day of November next, and answer the bill of the complainant—that a copy of this order be forthwith published in the Kentucky Gazette for two months successively, and that on the 15th of this inst. as I intend setting out for Baltimore and Philadelphia, about that time—Those who do not wish to be affected by this order, may rest assured that they shall have dealt with as the law directs, at the expiration of said time—therefore I am in hopes this notice will be attended to, without further trouble, as I am determined to have all my accounts finally settled by the 1st day of December next.

GEO. GARDNER.

September 5, 1797.

Levi Todd, C. F. C.

For Sale,

THE LOTS IN NEW-GARDEN.

NEW-GARDEN is a town lately laid out on an eligible situation, on part of that tract of land, well known by the name of English's Station, on the fourth bank of Dick's river, in the neighborhood of a very fertile settlement. It is unnecessary to enumerate the many advantages that accompany New-Garden; it abounds in good springs, good timber, good and lime-fines, (which are essential for building,) thro' which passes the great influx of emigration from the Eastern States to Kentucky.

The sale of said lots will commence on the premises on the 1st of November next, and will continue until the 5th, where due attention will be given by the subscriber or his agent—the purchaser giving bond and approved security—one third of the purchase money to be paid by the day of sale, the balance to be paid in three months from the day of sale, there being two thirds payable in eighteen months from the day of sale; at which time a general warranty deed will be executed for said lots.

Lucas Sullivan,

Five Dollars Reward,

STRAYED from my plantation the latter end of September last, a bay Horse, four years old, about fourteen hands one inch high, a long neck tall, branded on the near buttock thus W, paces and trots. I think he has a small star in his forehead, I will give the above reward to any Person who will deliver said horse to me or to Col. James F. Moore at Mann's lick to whom he belongs.

JOHN CRITTENDEN.

John McClelland, complainant,

vs

George Chalk, defendant.

IN CHANCERY.

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The defendant not having

entered his appearance agreeable to law, and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that he is not an inhabitant of this state—on the motion of the complainant by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant do appear on the second Monday in November next, and answer the bill of the complainant—that a copy of this order be forthwith published in the Kentucky Gazette for two months successively, and that on the 15th of this inst. as I intend setting out for Baltimore and Philadelphia, about that time—Those who do not wish to be affected by this order, may rest assured that they shall have dealt with as the law directs, at the expiration of said time—therefore I am in hopes this notice will be attended to, without further trouble, as I am determined to have all my accounts finally settled by the 1st day of December next.

GEO. GARDNER.

September 5, 1797.

(A Copy.) To,

LEVI TODD, C. F. C.

FOR SALE,

For Cash and Country Produce,

A TRACT OF LAND, containing one hundred and one acres and a half, twenty-five of which are cleared—The land is of good quality, well watered and timbered, and has on it three cabins and a peach orchard, situated on the Kentucky river, between Jack's and Tate's creeks, about fifteen miles from Lexington, and well situated for a ferry. An indisputable title will be given—For particulars enquire of

FOYZER & Co.

Lexington, Oct. 18.

Franklin District (to wit.)

August Term, 1797.

John Patrick, Complainant,

vs

James Wilkinson, and M'Connell's heirs et al Defendants.

IN CHANCERY.

ON the motion of the Complainant by his counsel, and it appearing to the court that the order to advertise, formerly awarded herein, against the defendant Wilkinson, has not been published agreeably to law, and the said James still appearing to be no inhabitant of this state—having also failed to enter his appearance here in obedience to a rule of court—It is therefore ordered, that the said defendant do appear here on the third day of the next December term of this court, and answer the bill of the complainant—that a copy of this order be inserted in the Kentucky Gazette for two months successively, and published at the door of Hickman's meeting-house on some Sunday immediately after divine service, and at the front door of the state-house in the town of Franklin.

(A Copy.) To,

Willis Lee, C. F. D.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the subscriber, are requested to pay their respective balances, as he intends going to Baltimore and Philadelphia by the first of December next.

He has on hand a good assortment of

Winter and other GOODS,

which will be sold VERY CHEAP.

ATSO,

2200 acres of good LAND,

On Raven creek, Harrison county; this land lies about eleven miles from the town of Cynthiana. If necessary it will be sold in small tracts to accommodate purchasers. The terms of sale—one third in hand, and a credit of one and two years for the balance. Mr. Andrew Hampton, or Mr. William Nelson, who live joining this land will show it. For further particulars apply to WILLIAM WEST.

Lexington, October 20.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the subscriber, either by bond, note or book account, are requested to come forward and make payment to Mr. Thomas C. Howard, on or before the 15th of this inst. as I intend setting out for Baltimore and Philadelphia, about that time—Those who do not wish to be affected by this order, may rest assured that they shall have dealt with as the law directs, at the expiration of said time—therefore I am in hopes this notice will be attended to, without further trouble, as I am determined to have all my accounts finally settled by the 1st day of December next.

GEO. GARDNER.

September 5, 1797.

Blank Bonds,

for sale at this Office.